GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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FACILITIES TO OLD PERSONS
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have decided to provide more facilities to recepients of old age pension in the Indian Airlines and Air India flights;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a), (b) and (c):- Indian Airlines gives 50% discount on fare to those citizens who have completed 65 years of age (in case of women above 63 years of age) on the date of commencement of journey. As regards, Air India, They do not offer discountto senior citizens. However, Air India has competitive market fares for international and domestic travel which are also applicable to the senior citizens.